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**Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231
Attention: Box Missing Parts**

Sir:

This is a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application having a mailing date of October 30, 2001, and for which a period for response of the latter of two (2) months after the mailing date or two (2) months from the filing date was set to expire December 30, 2001.

Enclosed is an executed Declaration, and an executed Assignment with a Recordation Cover Sheet. Also enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application. Please charge **Deposit Account No. 19-2179** for the surcharge of **\$130.00** in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.16(e). Issuance of a formal Filing Receipt is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$468.
 - \$468 for 26 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1308.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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